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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is hereby submitted in the hereinabove-identified Patent Application in response to Office Action, mailed July 31, 2002. Please consider the amendments to the Claims and the Remarks set forth herein.

IN THE CLAIMS

✓ Please cancel Claims 2, 4, and 7, 12, 13, 14, 17, and 19.

Please amend Claim 5 as follows:

β1 5. (Amended) The antenna of Claim 20, wherein the metal plates have a hexagonal shape.

Please amend Claim 8 as follows:

β2 8. (Amended) The array of Claim 20 wherein the radiating elements are spaced along the axis by one-quarter wavelength at a center frequency of operation for the array, and the array provides an end-fire beam in only one direction along the axis.

Please amend Claim 20 as follows:

β3  
cont. 20. (Amended) A conformal end-fire antenna, comprising:  
a high impedance ground surface structure, comprising an